

**textbook: music of solitary landscapes in hyperspace  
(piece for IPS)**

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**"Never, for the sake of peace and quiet, deny your own convictions."**

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- ♦ this piece may be performed either continuously, or with breaks between each section
- ♦ it is designed to be played in its entirety
- ♦ throughout, the tempo is free despite the presence of specific metronome markings (ie, the tempo is dictated by the natural flow of the music; the metronome markings are guides)
- ♦ the contrabassi in section I are preferable to not having contrabassi at all
- ♦ no extramusical connotations are implied by the titles of each section



6 ← 3X →

Piano

contrabass 1

contrabass 2

Measure 6: The piano part begins with a rapid sixteenth-note melody in the right hand, starting on G4 and ascending to E5. The left hand plays a sustained bass line with notes G2, B1, and D2. The first contrabass part plays a sustained note G2, while the second contrabass part plays a sustained note B1. Measure 7: The piano part continues with the same rapid sixteenth-note melody. The left hand plays a sustained bass line with notes G2, B1, and D2. The first contrabass part plays a sustained note G2, while the second contrabass part plays a sustained note B1.

8

Piano

contrabass 1

contrabass 2

Measure 8: The piano part begins with a rapid sixteenth-note melody in the right hand, starting on G4 and ascending to E5. The left hand plays a sustained bass line with notes G2, B1, and D2. The first contrabass part plays a sustained note G2, while the second contrabass part plays a sustained note B1. Measure 9: The piano part continues with the same rapid sixteenth-note melody. The left hand plays a sustained bass line with notes G2, B1, and D2. The first contrabass part plays a sustained note G2, while the second contrabass part plays a sustained note B1.

10

Piano

contrabass 1

contrabass 2

Measure 10: Piano right hand plays an eighth-note arpeggiated pattern (F4, G4, A4, Bb4, C5, Bb4, A4, G4, F4). Piano left hand plays a half note F3. Contrabass 1 plays a half note F3. Contrabass 2 plays a half note F3.

Measure 11: Piano right hand continues the eighth-note arpeggiated pattern. Piano left hand plays a half note F3. Contrabass 1 plays a half note F3. Contrabass 2 plays a half note F3.

12

Piano

contrabass 1

contrabass 2

Measure 12: Piano right hand continues the eighth-note arpeggiated pattern. Piano left hand plays a half note F3. Contrabass 1 plays a half note F3. Contrabass 2 plays a half note F3.

Measure 13: Piano right hand continues the eighth-note arpeggiated pattern. Piano left hand plays a half note F3. Contrabass 1 plays a half note F3. Contrabass 2 plays a half note F3.

14

3X

Piano

contrabass 1

contrabass 2

Measure 14: Piano (treble clef) has a complex rhythmic pattern of beamed sixteenth notes. Contrabass 1 (bass clef) has a whole note rest. Contrabass 2 (bass clef) has a whole note chord. Measure 15: Piano (treble clef) continues the complex rhythmic pattern. Contrabass 1 (bass clef) has a dotted half note. Contrabass 2 (bass clef) has a dotted half note. A '3X' annotation with arrows indicates a three-measure repeat of the first measure of the Piano part.

16

Piano

contrabass 1

contrabass 2

Measure 16: Piano (treble clef) has a complex rhythmic pattern of beamed sixteenth notes. Contrabass 1 (bass clef) has a dotted half note. Contrabass 2 (bass clef) has a dotted half note. Measure 17: Piano (treble clef) continues the complex rhythmic pattern. Contrabass 1 (bass clef) has a whole note chord. Contrabass 2 (bass clef) has a whole note chord. A dashed vertical line separates measures 16 and 17.

18

Piano

contrabass 1

contrabass 2

10/9-11/2/1984

II

the sick face in the bowels of the earth : microvariazioni (sakataro hagiwara)

21

Piano

*mf*

80

8 4 4 8 3 4 8 4 3

24

Piano

8 5 2 8 3 3 8 6 3

27

Piano

2X 8 8 6 3 4 8 3 2

30

Piano

8 4 3 8 2 5 8 3 4



33

Piano

8 6 7 4 6 3 4 14

36

Piano

*mp* *mf*

2X 8 2X 8 8 6

39

Piano

*mp* *mf*

8 8 6 8 8 8 2X 8

43

Piano

5 8 8 8 6 8

2X

48

Piano

4X 2X 2X

*mp* *p* *mp*

52

Piano

3X

56

Piano

3X

2X

59

Piano

4 3 4 3 6 6 6 5 12

61

Piano

5X

64

Piano

66

Piano

2X

69

Piano

8 11 8 8 8

*p* *mf*

71  $\overbrace{\hspace{10em}}^{2X}$  11  14  11  13 

Piano

75 11  11  13 

Piano

78 11  9  15 

Piano



89

Piano

(8vb)

91

Piano

2X

(8vb)

93

Piano

(8vb)





106

Piano

8 ♪

4 ♪

4 ♪

8 ♪

3 ♪

4 ♪

108

Piano

8 ♪

6 ♪

8 ♪

8 ♪

8 ♪

*p*

111

Piano

*mf*

4X

2X

2X

115

Piano

5/31/85

III

the nameless ones (from brownstone eclogues) (conrad aiken)

118

Piano

$\text{♩} = 48$

*p*

*pp*

2X

3 ♩

2 ♩

5 ♩

3 ♩

8vb

121

Piano

7 ♩

6 ♩

8 ♩

$\text{♩} = 52$

*p*

10X

13X

8vb

127

Piano

Measures 127-131: Right hand plays a continuous sixteenth-note arpeggiated pattern. Left hand plays a sequence of half notes: F#2, G#2, A2, B2, C3, D3, E3, F#3.

132

Piano

Measures 132-142: Right hand plays a continuous sixteenth-note arpeggiated pattern. Left hand plays a sequence of half notes: F#2, G#2, A2, B2, C3, D3, E3, F#3. A slur connects the left hand notes from measure 132 to 142. Above measures 139-140 is a "10X" repeat sign. Above measures 141-142 is an "11X" repeat sign. A tempo marking "♩ = 56" is above measure 141.

137

Piano

Measures 137-142: Right hand plays a continuous sixteenth-note arpeggiated pattern. Left hand plays a sequence of half notes: F#2, G#2, A2, B2, C3, D3, E3, F#3. A slur connects the left hand notes from measure 137 to 142. Above measures 137-139 is a "3X" repeat sign. Above measures 140-141 is a "2X" repeat sign. Above measure 142 is a "2X" repeat sign.

141

Piano

*accel. poco a poco*  
28X

$\text{♩} = 84$

(cresc poco a poco) *mf*

8X 4X 8X

3:2 3:2 3:2

148

Piano

*mp*  
*legato*

$\text{♩} = 84$

6X 8X 4X 8X 4X 2X 2X

155

Piano

8X

8 10 6 2

12 

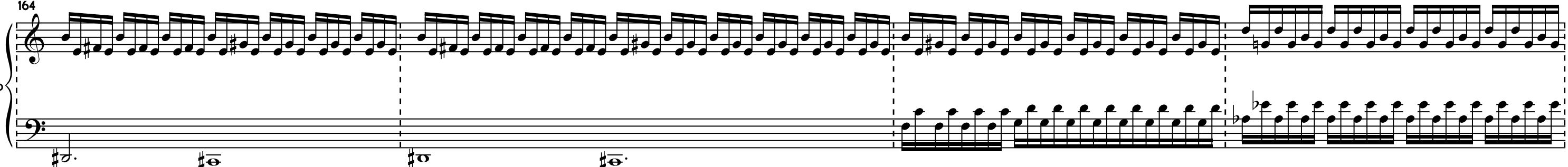
160

Piano



164

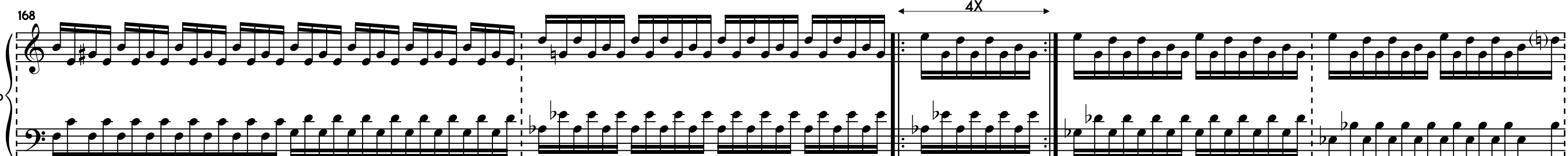
Piano



168

Piano

4X



173

8X

4

6

8

8

6

14

Piano

177

2X

4X

Piano

180

8

7

8

3X

(over three measures)

*p*

*Red.*

Piano

184

Piano

*sub pp*

*Red.*

2X

188

Piano

11X

192

Piano

*f*

*\* >*

8X 7X 4X 4X 3X 4X 4X 8X 6X 8X 4X 8X 4X

*>*

205

4X 4X 6X 6X 8X 6X 6X 8X 4X 8X 6X 6X 4X 4X

$\bullet = 114$

Piano

219

7X 4X 4X 4X 4X 4X 4X 4X 4X

6:4 6:4 6:4 6:4 6:4 6:4 6:4 6:4 6:4

Piano

228

8X 4X 4X 4X 6X 4X 4X 4X 2X 8X

6:4

senza pedale

Piano



238

Piano

2X 2X 4X 6X 4X 6X 3X 8X 8X

*Red.*

247

Piano

249

Piano

$\bullet = 114$   $\bullet = 120$

252  $\text{♩} = 48$

Piano *mp*

*p*

8vb

Red.

✱

258  $\text{♩} = 94$

Piano *ppp*

12:8

9:6

8va

6X 6:4

4X 6:4

3X 6:4

8vb

263 (8va)

6:4 6:4 3:2

3X 6:4

6:4

6:4

9:6

8vb

(8va)-----

268

Piano

6:4 6:4 12:8 6:4 6:4 6:4 9:6

8va-----

271

Piano

*mp* *mf*

• = 85 • = 66

8va-----

275

Piano

*f*

278

Piano

8<sup>vb</sup> - - - - -

E<sup>b</sup>

F

281

Piano

G

G.

8<sup>vb</sup> - -

F<sup>#</sup>

8<sup>vb</sup> - -

285

Piano

G

G

G

288

Piano

♩ = 62

*mp*

*pp*  
lontano

♩ = 60

293

Piano

♩ = 70

296

Piano

IV  
thought (walt whitman)

299  $\bullet = 42$

Piano

*p*

lontano

lontano

303  $\bullet = 56$

Piano

*p*

lontano

4 3 4 8 6 4

306

Piano

8 1 4 7 5 6 6 3 4

309

Piano

8 7 8 7 6 5 8

312

Piano

6 3 4 14

♩ = 72

2X

Red.

315

Piano

317

Piano

3X

4X

319

Piano

2X

4X

321

Piano



← 2X →

323

Piano

← 2X →

325

Piano

← 2X →

327

Piano

329

Piano

Measures 329-331: The right hand plays a continuous eighth-note pattern. The left hand has a few chords and a triplet of eighth notes.

332

Piano

*ff*

♩ = 120

16X 8X 12X 6X 8X 8X 16X 8X 6X 8X 8X 8X 8X

Measures 332-344: The right hand plays a continuous eighth-note pattern. The left hand has a few chords and a triplet of eighth notes. The score is marked with 'ff' and a tempo of 120.

345

Piano

8X 8X 8X 10X 6X 8X 8X 6X 8X 8X 8X 2X 16X

Measures 345-357: The right hand plays a continuous eighth-note pattern. The left hand has a few chords and a triplet of eighth notes.

358  $\text{♩} = 72$  4X *mf*

360 8 4 4 8 3 4

363 8 2 6 7 6  $\text{♩} = 42$  *p*

367

Piano

*pp*

*ff*

*mf*

*mf* *Red.*

*accel.*

V  
from the dhammapada

$\bullet = 54$

8/12/85

*Red.*

*8va*

*8vb*

371

Piano

$\bullet = 64$

10

24X

*mp*

376

Piano

20X

12:8

11X

9:6

3:2

4X

*pp* *Red.*

*p*

\*

382

2X

Piano

384

3X

8X

4X

8X

6X

8X

6X

8X

Piano

392

12 ♪

10X

12:8 ♭

9:6 ♭

18 ♪

10 ♪

*pp*  
Red.

*mp*

Piano

396

12 ♪

14 ♪

~30 ♪

8 ♪

11 ♪

Piano

*pp*

*pp*

400

3 ♪

8 ♪

3 ♪

6 ♪

10 ♪

2X

3X

4X

6X

Piano

*pp*

♩ = 84

406

4X

4X

8X

4X

4X

6X

8X

8X

3X

Piano

415

Piano

4X 6X 4X 5X

♩ = 74

5 ♩

dim poco a poco (al *ppp*)

*p*  
Red.

419

Piano

2X 3X 2X 3X

4 ♩ 4 ♩ 5 ♩ 6 ♩

6 ♩ 13 ♩

425

Piano

2X 5X 2 2X

4 ♩ 5 ♩ 4 ♩

11 ♩ 2X 3X

5 ♩ 4 ♩

432

Piano

5 ♪

11 ♪

3X  
4 ♪

16 ♪

3X

10 ♪

*p*

*p*

436

Piano

16 ♪

2X

8 ♪

16 ♪

3X  
6 ♪

2X  
5 ♪

2X  
7 ♪

*p*

*p*

*p*

*p*

441

Piano

2X  
6 ♪

2X  
5 ♪

3 ♪

5X  
4 ♪

3X  
4 ♪

3X

14 ♪

12 ♪

*f*



447

Piano

4X

16 ♪

8 ♪

16 ♪

4X

6 ♪

2X

452

Piano

4X

6X

456

Piano

4 ♪

8 ♪

4X

4 ♪

6 ♪

6X

12 ♪

461

Piano

4 6 8 4 4

$\bullet = 60$

6X

sub *ff*

sub *p*

468

Piano

*mp*

$\bullet = 64$

6 6 8 3 6 5 6 3 3 4 4 12

476

Piano

10

482  $\bullet = 72$  8  $\bullet$  8  $\bullet$  8  $\bullet$  8  $\bullet$

Piano

Measures 482-487. The right hand plays a continuous eighth-note pattern. The left hand has a sparse accompaniment with chords and single notes.

488  $\bullet = 84$

Piano

Measures 488-490. The right hand continues the eighth-note pattern. The left hand has a sparse accompaniment with chords and single notes.

491

Piano

Measures 491-493. The right hand continues the eighth-note pattern. The left hand has a sparse accompaniment with chords and single notes.

493

Piano

8

497

Piano

6X

7X

502

Piano

22

$\text{♩} = 60$

$\text{♩} = 80$

13X

8

3X

8

*p*

*Red.*

507

Piano

2X

8

8

8

13X

8

4

4X

4

4

*mp*

510

Piano

2X

2X

16

4X

16

513

Piano

2X

2X

16

16

516

Piano

16 ♩

4 ♩ 2X 4 ♩ 4 ♩

*mp*

2X 16 ♩

519

Piano

2X

2X 16 ♩

2X 16 ♩

522

Piano

2X 16 ♩

4X 16 ♩

5X 16 ♩

dim poco a poco (over four measures)

cresc poco a poco (over 11 measures)

*8vb*

*Red.*

\* *Red.* \* *Red.* \*

525

Piano

(cresc poco a poco)

6X

8

4

4

16

12

8

*f*

(8vb)

Red.

\* Red.

\* Red.

\* senza pedale

529

Piano

10

12

8

4

4

5X

6X

533

Piano

VI

fern hill (dylan thomas)

$\text{♩} = 58$

1/3/86

*p*

543

Piano

$\bullet = 66$

6 4 4 8 4 6 4 8

549

Piano

8 3 6 8 11 6

*mp*

*p* senza pedale

4X

554

Piano

2X 4X 3X 31X 2X 2X 8X

7 7 6 1 7 5 3

con pedale



561

4X

3 3 2

2X

11 10 3 2

Piano

566

2X

17 9

2X

5 3

2X

11

♩ = 66

\* senza pedale

Piano

570

2X

6 7 6

3 2

2X

11

2X

6 5 2

Piano

577

Piano

4X 6 ♩

2X 11 ♩

3 ♩ 2 ♩

2X 15 ♩

14 ♩ 6 ♩ 8 ♩

4X 7 ♩

sub *mf*

*Red.* dim poco a poco (over four measures)

♩ = 85

583

Piano

*mf*

6X 9X 4X 5X 6X 5X

*8vb*

591

Piano

7X 5X 5X 3X 2X 4X 4X 5X

*8vb*

600

Piano

4X

8X

8

8

3

6

10

*f*

senza pedale

(8vb)

606

Piano

con pedale

2X

12

7

4

8

6

2X

611

Piano

sub *f*

10

6

8

5

2X

10

5

3

618

Piano

Measures 618-620. The right hand features a continuous eighth-note melody with various accidentals (sharps, naturals, flats). The left hand provides a sparse accompaniment with half notes and a long slur over two measures.

621

Piano

Measures 621-624. The right hand continues the eighth-note melody. The left hand has a more active accompaniment with half notes and a slur over two measures. Measure 623 has an '8' above it with a note.

625

Piano

Measures 625-632. The right hand features a 16-measure eighth-note run in measure 625, followed by eighth-note patterns. The left hand has a complex accompaniment with slurs and accents. Measure 626 has a tempo marking  $\bullet = 80$  above it. Measure 628 has a tempo marking  $\bullet = 76$  above it. Measures 629-632 have counts '6', '8', '3', '8', '4', '4' above them with notes.

631

Piano

8 6

$\bullet = 58$

*p*

637

Piano

5:4

*mf*

646

Piano

*pp*  
lontano

8 6 8 10

$\bullet = 84$

3X

8vb

Red.

650

12 ♪

10 ♪

Piano

(8vb)

2X

653

8 ♪

8 ♪

Piano

(8vb)

655

10 ♪

10 ♪

12 ♪

8 ♪

Piano

(8vb)

657

Piano

8 ♩

(8<sup>vb</sup>)

2X

659

Piano

8 ♩

(8<sup>vb</sup>)

3X

2X

661

Piano

3:2

(8<sup>vb</sup>)

663

Piano

(8vb)

665

Piano

6 4 2X

cresc poco a poco (over 2 measures)

(8vb)

666

Piano

8 4 10 5

8vb



668

Piano

8 ♪ 4 ♪ 6 ♪ 10 ♪ 5 ♪

3X 6 ♪ 2X 7 ♪ 3X 4 ♪

*fff*

(8vb)

8vb

673

Piano

6 ♪ 2X 5 ♪ 4X 4 ♪ 2X 5 ♪ 2X 4 ♪ 2X 5 ♪ 8 ♪ 8 ♪

*f*

8vb

681

Piano

10 ♪ 8 ♪

8vb

8vb

686

Piano

2X

21 ♪

14 ♪

*sfz mf*

(8vb)

690

Piano

2X

5 ♪

8 ♪

6 ♪

4 ♪

6 ♪

4 ♪

3 ♪

4 ♪

6 ♪

3 ♪

2 ♪

3 ♪

*p*

694

Piano

5 ♪

3 ♪

4 ♪

6 ♪

8 ♪

6 ♪

3 ♪

6 ♪

4X

2X

2X

*mf*

*secco*

8vb

*\*f*

699

Piano

2X 2X 2X 2X 2X 4X 6X

707

Piano

2X

8 6

711

Piano

8 14 2X

715 ← 2X →

Piano

719

Piano

725

Piano



740

2X

10 8

Piano

743

8

Piano

748

Piano

753

Piano

$\bullet = 52$

*p*

8vb

7/7/86

VII  
joyful wisdom (nietzsche)

$\bullet = 50$     $\bullet = 80$

765

Piano

*p*

16 ♪   12 ♪   14 ♪   10 ♪

768

Piano

22 ♪   16 ♪   24 ♪   16 ♪

2X

770

Piano

22 ♪

20 ♪

22 ♪

22 ♪

2X

772

Piano

*p*

24 ♪

28 ♪

30 ♪

2X

774

Piano

30 ♪

30 ♪



775

28 

30 

Piano

776

24 

24 

2X

Piano

777

28 

28 

3X

Piano

778

26

12

Piano

*p*

779

16

14

20

Piano

*p* *mp*

780

12

16

22

Piano

*mp* *p*

781

16

14

20

Piano

*p* *mp*

782

1.

12

16

22

Piano

*mp* *p*

go back to measure 766

783

2.

16

14

20

Piano

*mp*

784

14

16

20

Piano

*p*

785

16

14

20

Piano

*p* *mp*

786

12

16

38

Piano

787

Piano

*mp*

8 12 22 8 12 8

4X 2X

789

Piano

22 20

$\bullet = 84$

*mf*

791

Piano

*mp*

*mp*

793

Piano

6X 6X 6X 8X 6X

*mf* *f*

8

800

Piano

6 8 16 20

*pp*

80

8vb

803

Piano

10 8 14 16

3X

8vb

806

Piano

8 16 8 8

808

Piano

10 10

811

Piano

2X 12 10

813

Piano

12 ♪

12 ♪

20 ♪

16 ♪

8 ♪

*mp* *f* *mp* *p*

8<sup>vb</sup>

816

Piano

2X

5:4 ♪

5:4 ♪

5:4 ♪

5:4 ♪

5:4 ♪

5:4 ♪

5:4 ♪

5:4 ♪

8<sup>vb</sup>

818

Piano

8 ♪

2X

8 ♪

12 ♪

*f*

8<sup>vb</sup>



820  $\bullet = 116$

Piano

6  $\text{♪♪}$  10  $\text{♪♪}$

8vb

822  $\bullet = 120$

Piano

8  $\text{♪♪}$  8  $\text{♪♪♪}$

(8vb)

824

Piano

10X 8X 2X

*mf* *f*

827

Piano

6X

76

8

*f*

831

Piano

8

12

12

3X

*mp*

*mp*

834

Piano

14

18

14

8

*mp*

*sub p*

837

Piano

14 ♪

14 ♪

14 ♪

16 ♪

8 ♪

16 ♪

*p*

840

Piano

20 ♪

16 ♪

12 ♪

842

Piano

16 ♪

14 ♪

20 ♪

*p*

*mp*

843

12 

16 

24 

Piano

845

6 

6 

12 

Piano

848

20 

22 

9 

13 

Piano

851  $\xleftrightarrow{2X}$

Piano

*mp*

*f*

*mp*

20  $\text{♪}$

857  $\xleftrightarrow{2X}$   $\xleftrightarrow{2X}$   $\xleftrightarrow{2X}$   $\xleftrightarrow{4X}$

Piano

*p*

12  $\text{♪}$

8  $\text{♪}$

8  $\text{♪}$

863  $\xleftrightarrow{4 \text{ ♪}}$   $\xleftrightarrow{6 \text{ ♪}}$   $\xleftrightarrow{8 \text{ ♪}}$

Piano

*(8<sup>vb</sup>)*

12  $\text{♪}$

16  $\text{♪}$

866

Piano

*sub pp*

16 10 16 12 14 16

869

Piano

14 8

$\bullet = 54$

5:4

*p*

*Sub -*

874

Piano

2X 7 8 7 8 6 8 10 10

$\bullet = 64$

*p*

880

♩ = 88

Piano

*mp*

*mf*

Measures 880-882. The right hand plays a continuous sixteenth-note arpeggiated pattern. The left hand has sparse accompaniment with half notes and a long sustain in the final measure.

883

Piano

*f*

Measures 883-885. The right hand continues the sixteenth-note arpeggiated pattern. The left hand features a more active accompaniment with eighth-note chords and a long sustain in the final measure.

886

20 ♩

12 ♩

20 ♩

16 ♩

Piano

Measures 886-891. The right hand plays a dense block of chords in a sixteenth-note texture. The left hand plays a continuous sixteenth-note arpeggiated pattern.

888

Piano

*p*

16

8

20

12

890

Piano

8X

• = 66

4X

4X

893

Piano

4X

3X



895

Piano

2X

Sub

897

Piano

(8vb)

899

Piano

$\bullet = 80$

24

6

16

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